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ABSTRACT

Approximately 46 reference materials on the Caribbean located in the McClennan Library, McGill University (Montreal), are cited in this annotated bibliography. Although most materials deal exclusively with the Caribbean, a few titles cover Latin America in general. The relevance of these materials to the Caribbean has been emphasized. Materials dealing with specific countries of the Caribbean are not listed. Library of Congress call numbers are included; dates of publication range from 1936 to the present (1984). Listings are categorized according to type of material. Reference sources in Part I include biographical references, dictionaries, and handbooks. Bibliographies in part II (the major portion of the document), include a bibliography of bibliographies, current bibliographies, periodical indexes, and library catalogues. Subtopics within this section include general topics related to the Caribbean and the history and literature of the Caribbean. The document concludes with annotations of theses and dissertations related to the Caribbean. (LH)



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# Caribbeana:

## A Guide to Reference Sources

This guide is limited to research materials specifically covering the Caribbean. A few titles cover Latin America in general and their relevance to the Caribbean has been emphasized. Since many other general sources on Latin America will be useful for research in this area, readers are reminded of the guides on Latin America and Hispanic Literature available at the Reference Desk.

Materials dealing with specific countries of the Caribbean area have not been listed here. However, they are easily identifiable by using the subject catalogues. A reference librarian will be pleased to assist you in locating the proper subject entries.

All locations for items in this bibliography have not been cited. If you wish to obtain additional locations, please check the McGill Union Catalogue, under the entry used here, at the McGill Microcatalogue.

If you have any difficulty in using this bibliography or the sources cited in it please do not hesitate to ask for assistance from a reference librarian.

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## I. REFERENCE SOURCES

### A. Biography

F2175
P4
Ref

Personalities Caribbean. 7th ed., 1982/83. Kingston Jamaica.

Arranged by country, then alphabetically by personality, giving who's type information. A general listing at the back includes academics, businessmen, and other non-Caribbean residents with interests in the Caribbean. Preliminary matter includes supplement for late information, corrections and obituaries. Abbreviations, forms of address and an index to advertisers complete the volume.

CT500
D5x
Ref

Dictionary of Latin American and Caribbean Biography. 2nd ed., 1971/72. London.

Continues:

Dictionary of Caribbean Biography. 1st ed., 1969/1970. London.

A who's who of men and women of Latin America and the Caribbean. Nothing later published. Cuba, Dominican Republic and Haiti are included in Who's Who in Latin America (CT506 .W48 1971 Ref.), a two-volume work, the 2nd edition of which was published in 1971.

### B. Directories and Handbooks

F2131
W47
McLen

Caribbean Year Book. 48th, 1977/78 - v.50, 1979-80. Toronto.

Lib. has: 48th, 1977/78 - v.50, 1979/80.

Continues:

West Indies and Caribbean Yearbook. 1st, 1926/27 - 47th, 1976/77. London.

Lib. has: 1st, 1926/27 - 47th, 1976/77.

Although no longer being published, this yearbook presents a record of information surveying 50 years. Country by country survey of details on organizations, services, statistics, etc. Current descriptive information can be found in the South American Handbook (F1401 .S71 Latest in Ref.) and brief statistical information in Stateman's Yearbook (JA51 .S7 Latest in Ref.).

HA855.5
A14
GovDocs

CARICOM Statistics Yearbook. 1978- Georgetown, Guyana.

Lib. has: 1978.

A collection of statistics generally for the period 1970-1978 reflecting population and vital statistics, labour and the economy, migration, trade, finance, education, etc. in the countries of the Caribbean Community. Only one volume has appeared to date.

HA36
G67
1983
GovDocs

Goyer, Doreen S. and Eliane Domschke. Handbook of National Population Censuses: Latin America and the Caribbean, North America and Oceania. Westport, Conn., Greenwood Press, 1983.

Descriptive and evaluative chronology of census taking in a country by country survey. Emphasizes post 1945 period. For each country includes a map, indicates agency responsible and United States repository and provides a chart indicating topics covered in each census.

JC585
H847
1981
Ref

Human Rights Directory: Latin America, Africa, Asia: A Directory of Organizations.... Washington, D. C., HRI, 1981.

A selective directory using broad criteria to define human rights but limiting the compilation to groups openly identifying themselves, due to the sensitivity of the work of such groups. The section on Latin America and the Caribbean includes an alphabetic table of contents followed by country by country descriptive entries, including address, origin, purpose and programs. Indexes by English name, accronym and subject.

F1408
G7
Ref

Grow, Michael. Scholar's Guide to Washington, D. C. for Latin American and Caribbean Studies. Washington, Latin American Program of the Woodrow Wilson International Centre for Scholars, Smithsonian Institution Press, 1979.

One of a series of volumes which describe and evaluate scholarly resqurces in the Washington, D. C. area. Arranged in 2 parts: collections, which includes libraries, archives, data-banks,etc. and organizations,which includes potential information sources such as government agencies, embassies, cultural and technical assistance programs, etc. For each entry gives address, phone number, hours etc., and usually a lengthy description of the collection scope as well as general and specialized publications and materials. Indexes to names of organizations, personal papers, library subject strength and general subjects.

On order
for Ref.
June 84

Nauman, Ann K. Handbook of Latin American & Caribbean National Archives. Detroit, Blaine-Ethridge, 1984.

## II. BIBLIOGRAPHY

### A. Bibliography of Bibliography

Z1007
R4317
Ref

Bandura, S. K., "A Bibliography of Caribbean Literature in English," Interamerican Review of Bibliography, v.32, no.1, 1982, p. 3-27.

See Section II. E. 2.

Z1595
C3x
Ref

Chang, Henry C. A Selected Annotated Bibliography of Caribbean Bibliographies in English. St. Thomas, Caribbean Research Institute, College of the Virgin Islands, 1975.

Arrangement is by author or compiler but there is a subject-keyword index and a title index. Entries have descriptive annotations and a location is provided for each.

Z1601
A2B76
Ref

Gropp, Arthur E. Bibliography of Latin-American Bibliographies. Metuchen, N. J., Scarecrow Press, 1968.

_____. Supplement. Metuchen, N. J., Scarecrow, 1971.

Cordeiro, Daniel Raposo, ed. A Bibliography of Social Sciences and Humanities Supplementing the Original Works by Arthur E. Gropp. Metuchen, N. J., Scarecrow, 1979.

A Bibliography of Latin American Bibliographies, 1975-79: Social Sciences and Humanities. Metuchen, N. J., Scarecrow, 1982.

Z1601
A2G76
1976
Ref

Gropp, Arthur Eric. A Bibliography of Latin American Bibliographies of Latin American Bibliographies Published in Periodicals. Metuchen, N. J., Scarecrow Press, 1976. 2v.

The base volume and first supplement include monographs only, but supplements 2 and 3 serve also as supplements to Gropp's ...Bibliographies...in Periodicals and include both monographs and periodical articles. Broad subject arrangement with detailed subject index. Caribbean material is indexed under West Indies, Caribbean and names of specific countries as well as by subject, subdivided by geographical region. The base volume is a revised edition of the same title by Cecil K. Janes (Cutter ZW96 .U58 McLen) published in 1942.

### B. Current Bibliography

Z1301
C35a
Ref

CARICOM Bibliography. v.1, 1977- Georgetown, Guyana.

Lib. has: [v.1, 1977]-

Now subtitled "A cumulated list of current national imprints of the Caribbean Community Member Countries...." Issued annually in 1977 and 1978, thereafter twice a year. Arranged by Dewey Subject Classification. Followed by an alphabetical arrangement of authors and titles and series with briefer bibliographic information. Includes publisher's addresses. Coverage is one to two years behind.

Z1437
B5
Ref

Bibliografia de Centroamerica y del Caribe. 1956-1959. Madrid.

Lib. has: 1956-1959.

During the short period it appeared, this annual bibliography, published under the auspices of UNESCO, listed by subject, books and documents published in Costa Rico, Cuba, El Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Nicaragua, Panama, Puerto Rico and the Dominican Republic. Author index.

Z1595
C8
Ref

Current Caribbean Bibliography. v.1, 1951-v.23, 1973. Port of Spain.

Lib. has: v.3, no.3,4, 1953; v.7, 1957-v.11, 1961; v.17, 1967-v.23,1973//

Until it ceased publication this was an annual list of new publications arranged by subject with an author/title index. Includes publications from French, British, Dutch and U.S. possessions. Notes locations.

F2161
C29
McLen

"Current Bibliography" in Caribbean Studies. v.1, 1961- Rio Piedras.

Lib. has: v.1, 1961-

Each number of this quarterly includes a list of currently published articles, books and pamphlets on Caribbean studies in the humanities and social sciences. Caribbean includes Antilles, Yucatan, British Honduras, Central America, Panama, Colombia, Venezuela and the Guianas.

Folio
Z1601
F55
Ref

Florida University, Gainsville, Libraries Technical Processes Dept. Caribbean Acquisitions. 1957/58- Gainsville.

Lib. has: 1957-64; 1967-73/75; 1976/79-

A bibliography, originally issued annually, most recently covering a 3 year period, arranged by topic with some subdivisions by country. Includes recently acquired books, pamphlets, periodicals, newspapers and microfilms by Caribbean authors or published in or about the Caribbean.

Z1605
H23
Ref.Index
Stands

Handbook of Latin American Studies. 1936- Gainsville.

Lib. has: 1935-

See Section II. C.

II. C. Periodical Indexes

Z1605
H23
Ref.Index
Stands

Handbook of Latin American Studies. 1936- Gainsville.

Lib. has: 1935-

An annual selective bibliography covering books and articles on numerous topics in the humanities and social sciences. Arranged by broad subject with a detailed subject index offering an approach to Caribbean studies through the headings Caribbean, West Indies, and names of specific countries. After 1964 volumes cover either social sciences or humanities and are published in alternate years. Author and subject indexes in each volume as well as a cumulated author index covering volumes 1-28.

Z1605
H49
Ref.Index
Stands

Hispanic American Periodicals Index. 1970- Los Angeles.

Lib. has: 1975- [1970-74 on order for Ref., April 1984]

HAPI is an annual index of periodical articles in the social sciences and humanities in about 250 journals published in South and Central America, the Caribbean, the United States and Europe. Separate author section and subject section. Includes book reviews which appear in the subject section under the name of the author being reviewed. Original literary works are listed in the author section. The HAPI Thesaurus and Name Authority is shelved with the index and provides assistance in selection of subject terminology and form of entry used for personal names.

Z1605 C64 Ref

Columbus Memorial Library. Index to Latin American Periodical Literature, 1929-1960. Boston, G. K. Hall, 1962. 8v.

_____. Index to Latin American Periodical Literature, 1961-1965. Boston, G. K. Hall, 1968. 2v.

_____. Index to Latin American Periodical Literature, 1966-70. Boston, G. K. Hall, 1980. 2v.

An author-subject catalogue of selected articles in the social sciences from over 3000 periodicals published mainly in Latin America. Author names are included for articles published since 1951. The list of periodicals indexed is not complete. Includes also, for example materials from official gazettes. Supplemented for the period 1961-69 by the Indice general de publicationes periodicas latino americanas; humanidades y sciencias sociales, Index to Latin American Periodicals; Humanities and Social Sciences (Z1605 .I55 Ref) which articles have been excluded from the Index... 1961-65 and 1966-70.

## II. D. Library Catalogues

Folio Z5819 L648 Ref

London. University. Institute of Education. Catalogue of the Collection of Education in Tropical Areas. Boston, G. K. Hall, 1964. 3v.

Author, subject and regional catalogues listing books, pamphlets, articles and reports, from all the past and present British colonies and other developing countries of the world. Covers education, and related fields of anthropology, sociology, geography, history and religion, as well as educational material from all countries other than Great Britain. The regional catalogue has entries for West Indies and specific countries, subdivided by subject, while the subject catalogue is subdivided by region.

Z7164 C7R82 Ref

Royal Empire Society, London. Library. Subject Catalogue of the Library of the Royal Colonial Institute. London, Royal Empire Society, 1930-37. 4v.

Z7164 C7R83 Ref

Royal Commonwealth Society. Library. Subject Catalogue of the Royal Commonwealth Society, London. Boston, G. K. Hall, 1971. 7v.

_____. _____. Supplement. 1977-

Volume 3 of the Royal Empire Society Catalogue, pages 503-607, includes the West Indies, Barbados, Jamaica, Windward and Leeward Islands, Trinidad and Tobago, Britsh Guyana, British Honduras and Bermuda. Notable for early materials and pamphlets. Supplemented by the Subject Catalogue of the Royal Commonwealth Society. Volume 5 covers the West Indies. Similar arrangement by country, item, subject.

Folio Z1610 T48 Ref

Texas. University at Austin. Library. Latin American Collection. Catalog of the Latin American Collection. Boston, G. K. Hall, 1969. 31v.

_____. _____. Supplement 1, 1971-

An author, title and subject catalogue of books, pamphlets, periodicals, microfilm and pre 1890 newspapers of a valuable collection on Latin America. Caribbean materials may be found under the names of individual countries and Caribbean area as subject or geographical subdivision.

Z1501 I59 1980 Ref

West India Reference Library (Jamaica). The Catalogue of the West India Reference Library. Millwood, N.Y., Kraus International Publications, 1980. 6v.

This catalogue represents the acquisitions of a comprehensive collection on Jamaica and the West Indies for the period 1547-1975. Includes government publications, books, and periodicals as well as analyzing the contents of a selected number of periodicals. Predominantly English language material in the fields of history and the social sciences; includes material on West Indians in other countries, fiction is excluded. Three author volumes and three subject volumes.

II. E. By Topic

1. General

On order for Ref. (July 84) — Brana-Shute, Rosemary, comp. Bibliography of Caribbean Migration and Caribbean Immigrant Communities. Gainsville, Center for Latin American Studies, University of Florida, 1983.

Z1601 B35 Ref — Bayitch, S. A. Latin America and the Caribbean: A Bibliographical Guide to Works in English. Coral Gables, Florida, University of Miami Press, 1967.

Geographic and subject arrangement of books, articles and government documents emphasizing law, economics, and politics. Includes an index and a list of periodical abbreviations.

Z1595 C63 Ref — Comitas, Lambros. The Complete Caribbeana, 1900-1975: A Bibliographic Guide to the Scholarly Literature. Millwood, N.Y., KTO Press, 1977. 4v.

A comprehensive bibliography of materials in English and the major European languages covering the former possessions of the U.S., Great Britain, France and the Netherlands. Does not include Haiti, Cuba, Puerto Rico and the Domincan Republic. Monographs, theses, articles, conference proceedings, etc. are arranged in thematic chapters by subject. Citations are repeated in abbreviated form in other relevent subject sections. Full bibliographic citation includes a library location, and numeric reference. The index volume covers authors and geographic area, enabling a match between country and relevant numeric indicating subject.

On order for Ref. Feb.84 — Ingraham, Kenneth E. Sources for West Indian Studies. Zuq, 1983.

Z1601 U63 1975 Ref — U. S. Department of the Army. Latin America and the Caribbean, an Analytical Survey of the Literature. Washington, 1975.

A selective bibliography of excerpts from books and articles relating to strategic, political, economic and sociological aspects of the countries of Latin America and the Caribbean. General introductory material, then arranged by country, followed by a section on reference books. Appendices including military expenditures, assistance and a chronology of wars are followed by "background notes" to each country and a selection of black and white maps.

Z1595 U54 1974 Ref — University of the West Indies, Cave Hill, Barbados. Institute of Social and Economic Research. A Bibliography of the Caribbean. Cave Hill, Barbados, 1974.

Reflects the holdings of the Institute's library. Arranged by country, then listing material by format: books; articles; documents, papers and pamphlets. No subject approach.

II. E. 2. History

Z1502 B5R22 1970 Ref — Ragatz, Lowell J. A Guide for the Study of British Caribbean History 1763-1834, Including the Abolition and Emancipation Movements. [Reprint of the Washington, 1932 edition]. New York, Da Capo Press, 1970.

An annotated bibliography based on holdings examined at major public and private collections in the U.S., Canada, Great Britain, Jamaica, France, Belgium and Switzerland. Arranged by the format of the material - documents, reference works, legislative papers, histories, periodicals, etc. The annotations are lengthy and very informative, evaluating the work and putting it in historical context at the time.

F1401 P153 No.186 McLen — Goveia, Elsa V. A Study on the Historiography of the British West Indies to the End of the Nineteenth Century. Mexico, 1956. (Instituto Panamericano de geografia e Historia. Publicacion. 186)

A comprehensive bibliographical essay on histories of the British West Indies and their authors. Arranged chronologically. Notes all histories and historical contributions, excluding manuscripts biographies and slave trade studies.

Z1601
G75
Ref

Griffin, Charles Carroll. Latin America, A Guide to the Historical Literature. Austin, Published for the Conference on Latin American History by the University of Texas Press, 1971.

Arranged by historical period with geographical subdivisions. A section on the Caribbean in general and its individual countries appears under each time period. Aims to be selective and scholarly with critical annotations of books, articles and documents published to 1966. Author index. Detailed table of contents clarifies for example the chronological periods for the Caribbean which are exceptional to the general outline.

3. Literature

Z1502
B5A38
Ref

Allis, Jeanette, B. West Indian Literature, an Index to Criticism, 1930-1975. Boston, G. K. Hall, 1981.

Covers those countries formerly British possessions as well as Guiana. Includes critical articles as well as reviews of novels, poetry and short stories - theatre is omitted unless the playwright is also a poet or novelist and the play is treated as literature not as a production. Part one is the author section, giving for each general criticism and criticism of specific works. Part two is arranged by critic, also providing bibliographic citation. Part three is a chronological arrangement of the articles which fall in the general criticism category for each author and are annotated.

Z1007
R4317
Ref

Bandura, S. B., "A Survey of Bibliographies of Caribbean Literature in English," Inter-american Review of Bibliography, v.32, no.1, 1982, pp.3-27.

A bibliography of 93 sources for study of the creative writing of the Caribbean. Includes bibliographies published as monographs as well as those hidden in other works or published as articles. Each entry has full bibliographic information and a descriptive/evaluative annotation.

Z1595
C8
Ref

Canton, E. Berthe, comp., "A Bibliography of West Indian Literature 1900-1957/Bibliographie de litterature antillaise 1900-1957," Current Caribbean Bibliography, v.7, 1957, pp.1-56.

Includes belles-lettres published in the Dutch, French, British and United States possessions of the Caribbean as well as works by non-West Indians about the West Indies. Arranged by genre, including fiction, poetry, theatre, essays and fall literature as well as a section on reference works.

PN849
C3C3
Ref

Caribbean Writers: A Bio-Bibliographical - Critical Encyclopedia. Washington, Three Continents Press, 1979.

Information on 2000 creative writers is arranged by sections covering anglophone, francophone, Dutch and Spanish literatures. Alphabetical listing for each section includes living deceased authors giving brief biographical information, list of published works and references to critical studies. Introductory essays and lists of writers by country for each section. Concluding each section are supplementary biography entries and a series of selective bibliographies and lists of journals.

Z1502
B5M44
Ref

Merriman, Stella E. and Joan Christiani. Commonwealth Caribbean Writers, a Bibliography. Georgetown, Guyana Public Library, 1970.

A bibliography of works by and about eight English language Caribbean writers: Braithwaite, Carew, Harris, Hearne, Lamming, Reid, Sherlock, and Wynter-Carew. Includes as well a section of anthologies, reviews of anthologies, and critical studies on Caribbean literature.

Z1361
T7P35
Ref

Pantin, Maritza and Diane Hunte. Creative Writers in Trinidad and Tobago, a Bibliography. St. Augustine, Trinidad, University of the West Indies Library, 1970.

A bibliography of works by and about creative writers of Trinidad and Tobago. Critical writings include monographs, reviews and periodical articles.

Z1595
W35
Ref

Watson, Karl S. Literature of the English and French Speaking West Indies in the University of Florida Libraries; a Bibliography. Gainsville, Center for Latin American Studies, University of Florida, 1971.

Poetry, drama, fiction arranged by author and country of origin. Also includes a selective annotated list of West Indian periodicals useful for study of the literature of the region.

Z3508
L5J3
1965
Ref

Jahn, Janheinz. A Bibliography of Neo-African Literature from Africa, America and the Caribbean. London, Andre Deutsch, 1965.

The section on the Caribbean lists anthologies and single works, indicating for each item whether it is a novel or poetry.

## II. F. Theses

Z1501
H5x
1973
Ref

Hills, Theodore Lewis. Caribbean Topics; Theses in Canadian University Libraries. 3rd ed. Montreal, McGill University Centre for Developing Area Studies, 1973.

Lists by institution, then subject, all theses reported by Canadian University libraries.

Z1501
B3x
Ref

Baa, Enid M. Doctoral Dissertations and Selected Theses on Caribbean Topics Accepted by Universities of Canada, United States and Europe from 1778-1968. St. Thomas, V.I., Bureau of Public Libraries and Museums, 1969.

A computer printout with listings by author and keyword.

Z1601
D4
Ref

Deal, Carl W. Latin America and the Caribbean, a Dissertation Bibliography. Ann Arbor, University Microfilms International, 1977.

_____. _____. Supplement. Ann Arbor, University Microfilms International, 1980.

Together these bring together over 9000 titles culled from the CDI database, using not only computer searching techniques but also access to published bibliographies in the subject area. Arrangement is by broad subject with subdivision by country. Author index. The supplement includes 100 masters theses as well.